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Title

INFLUENCING THE ACTIVITY OF PLANT

GROWTH RECEPTORS

Group Art Unit

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of time in which to file the Amendment in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) in the above patent application in compliance with the Office Action mailed April 22, 2004. The period set for response was three months from the filing date of the Office Action, bringing the response to be due on July 22, 2004. Therefore, a three-month extension of time will bring the response due on October 22, 2004.

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A check in the amount of \$980.00 is enclosed to cover the extension fee. A

response to the Office Action is filed concurrently herewith.

The Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge any additional

fees as set forth in §§37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required, or credit any

overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0650. One (1) original and two (2) copies of this

Letter are attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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